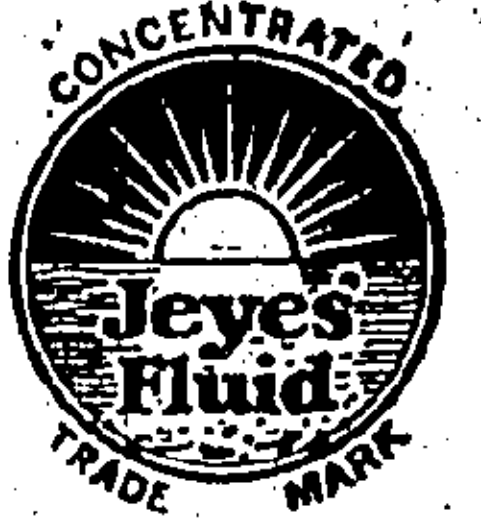


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## TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reuter's Service the China Mail.)

### RUHR POSITION.

#### MORATORIUM REFUSED.

#### RAILWAYMEN STILL RECALTRANT.

Essen, January 26. The position on the mines is quiet and the strikers have resumed work. Well-informed people opine that a general strike on the mines is unlikely. The strike on the railways in the West Ruhr continues. The strikers declare they will remain out as long as the troops occupy any portion of the station premises. The telephonists at Bochum and other towns have struck. Herr Schlutius and Herr Reiffers, who were sentenced at Mayence to be expelled from the Ruhr have arrived at Darmstadt.

Berlin, January 26.

Eight hundred youths arrived last night and said they were miners from the Ruhr who wished to join the Reichswehr. The Red Cross and police are caring for the men whose wish to join the army cannot be gratified. The Vorwärts suggests that the men are victims of some irresponsible Nationalist agency, especially as their fares to Berlin were paid.

Essen, January 26.

A French authoritative statement says that there are ten divisions in the Ruhr area totalling 120,000 men besides cavalry.

#### ARRESTS AND EXPULSIONS.

Essen, January 26.

A series of arrests and expulsions have occurred in the towns of Spayer, Hornumel and Aachen. Besides the Chief of the Finance Office at Cologne three principal officials at Trever, have been expelled.

#### GENERAL DEFAULT DECLARED.

Paris, January 26.

The Reparations Commission has refused to grant a moratorium to Germany and has declared a general default of Germany towards France and Belgium by three votes with one abstention.

LATER.

The Reparations commission stated that the schedule of payments fixed on May 5, 1921 will now be henceforward enforced. It is understood that Sir John Bradbury agreed it would be useless to discuss the moratorium question in view of the present relations of France and Belgium with Germany. He abstained from voting on the general default in accordance with the policy followed on the occasion of the two previous declarations of default. The French moratorium plan remains before the commission for possible consideration if favourable circumstances later arise.

#### SOCIALIST COUP PLANNED.

Berlin, January 26.

German reports state that the Ruhr railway strike is extending to the left bank of the Rhine. French railwaymen have been installed in almost all the stations where the Germans struck.

A state of siege has been proclaimed in the Aix la Chapelle and Kreuznach district as a result of yesterday's demonstrations.

It is reported that the Bavarian Fascists, the so-called National Socialists, are planning a decisive coup to-morrow. The Bavarian Government, according to the Tagblatt is resolved to oppose it by all means. It has prohibited announced meetings but the leader Hitler is determined to persist and proclaims that he will not shrink from anything. He challenged the Government to make it a war to the knife.

#### FURNACES CLOSED DOWN.

Paris, January 26.

The blast furnaces have been closed in Lorraine, three in the Longwy-Nancy basin and five in Luxembourg owing to the stoppage of coke deliveries from Germany.

#### ANOTHER TURKISH OUTRAGE.

#### NORTH STAFFS SERGEANT KILLED.

Constantinople, January 26.

A Turk fired on two North Staffordshire sergeants while they were here hiring a carriage to return to their barracks in the evening and one died. The outrage was entirely unprovoked. The Turk escaped. The Turkish authorities apologized to General Harington and the cabdriver was arrested.

#### DRIFTING TO WAR.

#### AMERICAN PEACE PLAN.

Washington, January 26.

Mr. Cullum in the House of Representatives moved a resolution that a committee should interview President Harding and urge the summoning of a world peace conference in view of the fact that the European nations seem to be drifting to war. He said the United States must inevitably be drawn into the threatened conflict.

#### THREE EXECUTIONS.

London, Jan 26.

Three men were executed at Brixton Prison for murder.

### THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/3 5/16.  
To-day's opening rate 2/3 5/16.

### RUBBER RESTRICTION.

#### AUTOMATIC CHECK ON PRICE.

London, January 26.

Replying to Sir Edwin Stock in regard to rubber restriction Major Ormsby Gore, Under Secretary for the Colonies, says that the system whereby the amount of rubber exportable on a minimum duty increases with the rise in price is felt to be a sufficient safeguard against the price rising to an excessive figure. Moreover the very high export duties in Ceylon and Malaya which will have a prohibitive effect as long as rubber is at a reasonable level will cease to act as a deterrent if rubber reaches an excessive price at which it will be profitable to estates to pay higher duties over the whole of their exports and not confine themselves to exporting only the limited amount permissible on the minimum duty. This constitutes the second automatic safeguard which though it will only operate in the inconceivable event of the first failing to work sufficiently rapidly to prevent an excessive rise in price and would immediately satisfy all inquiries for rubber which had worked up in price.

#### RUBBER GROWER'S VIEWS.

London, January 26.

In a letter to the press Mr. James Davenport, a member of the Council of the Rubber Growers' Association, dealing with the American manufacturers' objection to restriction says he has good reasons for saying that the Colonial Office decision will not weaken and that the scheme is irrevocable. On the contrary there is every indication that the scheme will, if necessary, be tightened up.

The Association's delegates in America will simply hear the view of the American manufacturers and will not commit the Association to any modification of the scheme. The Association will loyally support the carrying out of the scheme. Any proposal by the American manufacturers for the purchase of their estimated requirements for the next few years at a fair price giving a proper return to the rubber investor would be sympathetically considered.

#### IRELAND'S TROUBLES.

#### SOUTH WEST CUT OFF.

London, January 26.

Practically the whole of the South West of Ireland has been telegraphically cut off from Dublin. The affected area is served by a Railway which recently suffered seriously. Parts are now inaccessible by rail and the cutting of the telegraph has increased the alarm.

#### IRREGULARS BUSY BURNING.

London, January 26.

Irregulars in Ireland are carrying out a campaign of burnings. The Civic Guards' barracks at Dundrum and Moylough were among the buildings destroyed.

#### GOVERNMENT TENDERS.

#### EMPIRE PREFERENCE URGED.

London, January 26.

The British Empire Producers' organisation has sent a letter to the President of the Board of Trade requesting him to receive a Deputation early in February to ask for a definite assurance that preference will be given in all public body contracts to firms employing British Empire labour and using British Empire materials.

It urges the Imperial Government to set an example to the other Government and municipal and public bodies of the Empire by establishing a definite Empire preference in calling for tenders. It is suggested that an Empire tenderer using Empire produced material to at least 75 per cent of the total used and employing only British Empire labour should rank, for purposes of acceptance of the tender, below any foreign tenderer or one not fully complying with these conditions unless the foreign competitor quoted a price at least 15 per cent below the British tenderer.

#### AUSTRALIA'S NAVY.

#### SUBMARINES TO BE SOLD.

Melbourne, January 26.

There is some concern at the decision of the Government to dispose of all the undersea craft of the Australian Navy which it proposes to sell thus reducing the total tonnage of the Navy to about 25,000. The opinion is expressed that some submarines should be retained for training purposes.

#### GLASGOW HONOURS DUKE OF YORK.

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## ENTERTAINMENTS.

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Theatre: Justine Johnston in "A  
Heart to Let." Kowloon Theatre:  
"Silas Marner."

January 27.—Dancing at Palace  
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January 29 and 30.—Theatre  
Royal: The World's Greatest Pianist  
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January 31.—Bardman's Eastern  
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## PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

January 29.—Hughes and Hough,  
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## SPORTING EVENT.

January 27.—Theatre Royal: Box  
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February 19.—St. Andrew's Church  
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February 28.—First day of Jeckey  
Club's race meeting.

March 1.—Second day of Jeckey  
Club's race meeting.

March 2.—Third day of Jeckey  
Club's race meeting.

March 3.—Fourth day of Jeckey  
Club's race meeting.

## COMPANY MEETINGS.

February 3.—The Bank of East  
Asia meeting at Co's office, 10 Des  
Voeux Road, 3.30 p.m.

February 10.—Humphreys Estate  
and Finance Co., annual general  
meeting at Hongkong Hotel, 10.30  
a.m.

February 13.—Hongkong and Canton  
Steamboat Co., meeting at  
Co's office, 10 Des Voeux Road, noon.

## FLOWER SHOW.

February 22.—Annual flower and  
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Horticultural Society.

## UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS.

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M. S. Kato, Passenger, Kishima Maru,  
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M. S. Kato, Passenger, Kishima Maru,  
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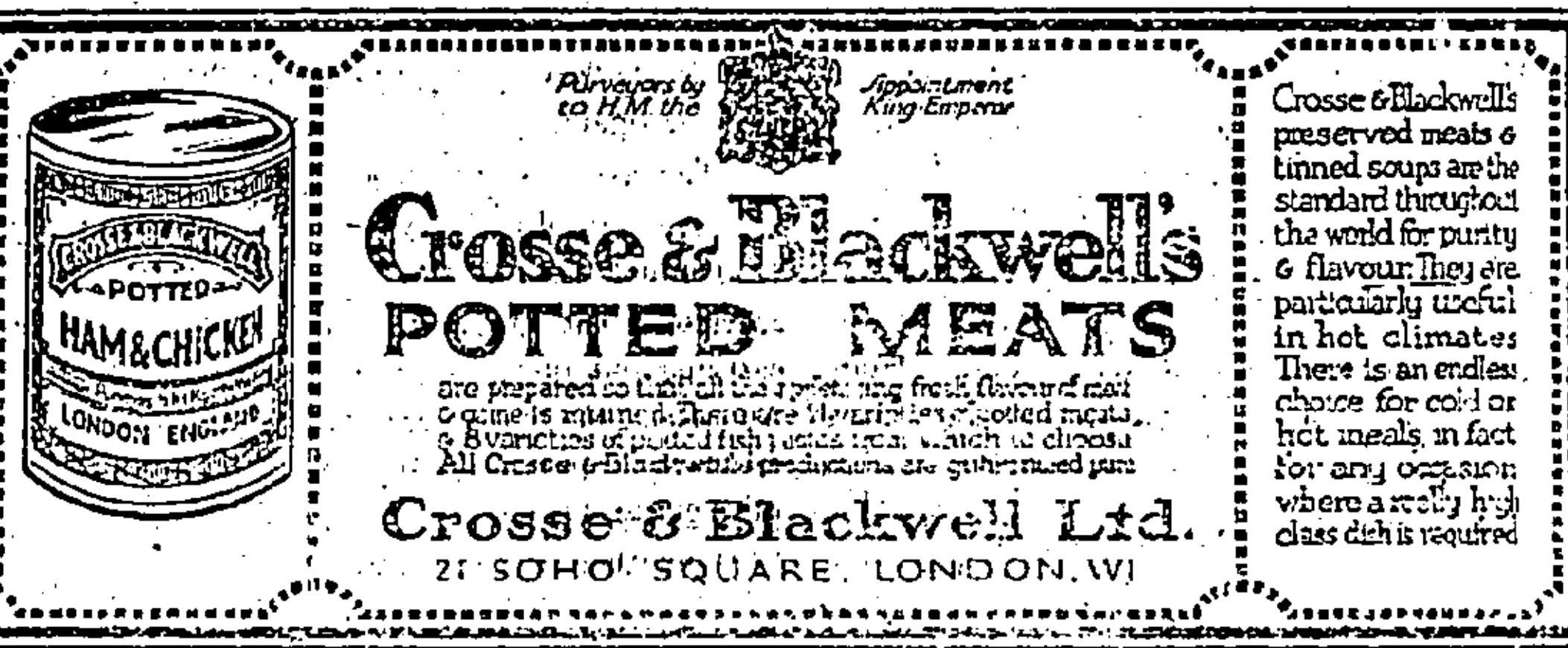


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four years before all the houses are  
completed and the scheme in its com-  
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becomes one of the beauty  
spots of Singapore. On the frontage  
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three bedrooms. In both types the  
bedrooms are spacious and in the case  
of the three bedroom bungalow have  
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verandah space in each house is  
remarkably liberal and in both  
types of bungalow back verandah  
are included. Large quarters for  
the servants and ample garage accom-  
modation are attached, and with  
electric light laid on, the bungalows  
will be available, it is stated, at a  
rental of \$100 and \$150, or at a pur-  
chase price of \$10,000. The ability  
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due to the fact that the cost of con-  
struction has been maintained at a  
minimum, the bungalows being built  
on rough foundations instead of upon  
vertical piles. Three of the bungalows  
are at present in course of erection,  
one of which will be completed short-  
ly and the others in April. Says  
the Free Press.

## AGRICULTURE IN CHINA.

A NEW REVIEW.

The first number of the *Lingnam  
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and technical agricultural journal  
published by the College of Agricul-  
ture of Canton Christian College has  
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nearly ninety pages of reading mat-  
ter that should prove interesting to  
those concerned with agriculture  
and instructive to the layman.

Among numerous articles pro-  
fusely illustrated with photographs,  
charts and statistical tables is  
"Notes on the Island of Hainan"  
by F. A. McClure, instructor in  
Horticulture of the College. Mr.  
McClure made two plant collecting  
expeditions in the island of Hainan  
in 1921 and 1922 and on his second  
trip succeeded in reaching the sum-  
mit of the highest peak of the Five  
Finger Mountains, this being the  
first time that the summit has been  
scaled by any European. In all,  
some 2,000 sets of plants in Hainan  
were collected increasing the num-  
ber thereby of known species from  
that island from 350 to 1,200. Other  
interesting articles are "The Water  
Buffalo for Dairy Purposes," "Ser-  
iculture Improvement in South  
China" and notes on Biology and  
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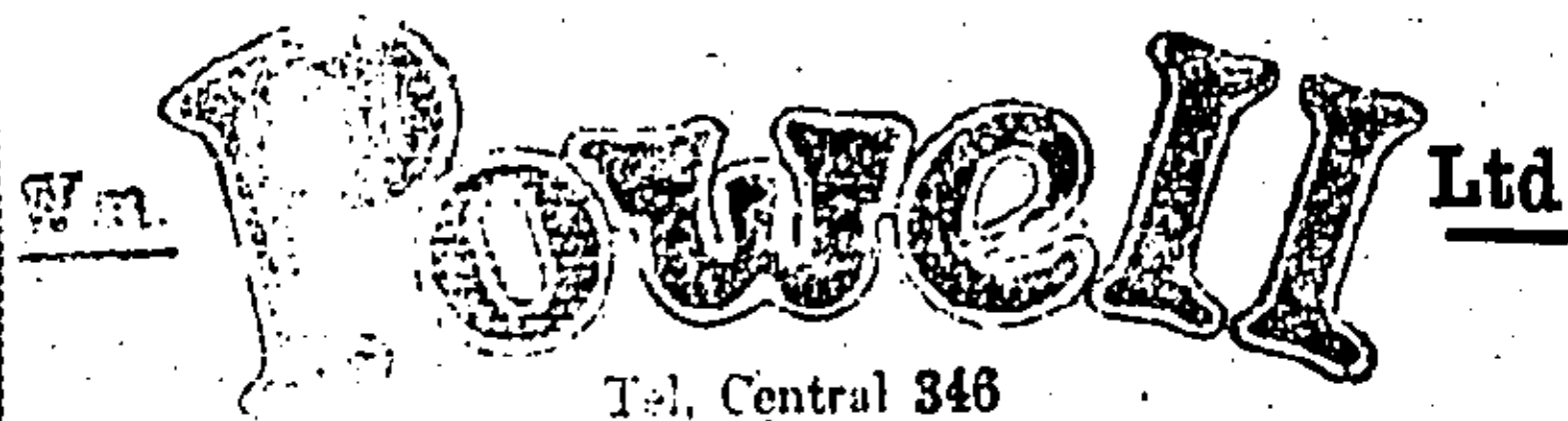
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## DEATH.

ARNOLD A. Government Civil Servant on January 27, Edward Thomas (Jeddy) the dearly beloved of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Arnold of Rose Terrace, Kowloon. Aged nine years.

## J. H. H. Mail.

J. H. H. MAIL, PUBLIC SERVICE.

J. H. H. MAIL, JAN. 27, 1923.

The official way again, dear old dear! I have a secret about the age of the Captain Superintendent of Police sent out for the recipients to enrol themselves for essential service work in times of emergency. These forms were sent to every firm in the Colony and the response was officially stated to have been satisfactory. Now, under instructions from the Colonial Secretary's Office, the Registrar has been sending forms to jury list residents. When a reporter mentioned that some residents had in this way received two forms, Mr. Nibbel and he understood Mr. Wolfe had issued forms only to Civil Servants. He had not received a list of the names of those residents who had already received their forms, so he had to go by the jury list and serve everyone. When the Colonial Secretary's Office cannot take the trouble to inform the Registrar that most residents have already received forms, how much less can it be expected to supply a list of the names of those who have already accepted service. Quite incidentally, too, the jury list does not include everyone, as certain professions are exempted. But mark! It's great fun and the dear harmless old public says: What is more, why shouldn't it? For, who killed poor old Public Spirit? I said: Mark! I killed poor old Public Spirit. Who saw it die? I said: Apolly, I saw it die. Bah!

Having exhausted the absurd query "What happens when an irresistible object meets an immovable body?" as a silly season topic, Home papers are now amusing themselves inviting distinguished personages to name the world's six greatest men. Yes, you've guessed my idea first time. Well, who are Hongkong's six greatest men? Come, chop, chop. Oh! you're much too slow—(1) The No. 1 Boy; (2) the comrade; (3) the shroff; (4) the richie coolie; (5) any honourable member; and (6)—but here I should give the answer Bernard Shaw made when he was asked who was the cleverest man in England to-day—but my m. deaty forbids.

Propounding a new theory of the universe, FRIGID Mr. Teo Tan Tai, the well-known Hongkong scientist, claims that the earth is revolving in frigid space, and compares it with a speck of atomic dust floating and revolving in the icy cold air of a refrigerator.

"If it were not for the molten heat in the bowels of the Earth, the world would be barren and waterless, and cold and dead as the moon. In time to come, after the heat of the Earth has become exhausted and the water of the oceans dried up this world of ours will undergo a similar transformation, and the frigid cold which surrounds the Earth will gradually close in and envelope it in its icy mantle of death."

Quite so! But that frigid space is not frigid enough to stop the sun's rays getting through. I'm no scientist, but just ask any bather during the Steamboat season.

Giving her impression of the Kowloon Mission to the Blind, the author writes of a new Hongkong guide book mentions that the Deputy Head of the fine Church Mission Society institution made a very curious remark as she was leaving. The convenience of the building had been mentioned. "Yes," said the Deputy Head, "and if there is a vacant seat I always go second. You see I have five cents and there

are a lot of things you can do with five cents." Assuredly, since the Government has taken to augmenting the revenue from the "minor vice" with the stamp duty people must pay every time they collect their wages. Incidentally, many big firms here give a cash voucher for goods bought over the counter. Are they liable for stamp duty, too?

The guide book author mentioned in the previous paragraph dedicates her production to "The Most Remarkable Woman in Hongkong." You might wonder who she is and what she is remarkable for. Don't waste your time doing anything so foolish. She is the lady who smiles her thanks when a mere man vacates his tram or ferry seat for her. The decadence of modern courtesy exhibited by lady passengers is not seen here alone, for a Shanghai man has been moved to express his feelings in public print. Personally he doesn't mind the weary business man sometimes receiving a scowl if he's the least bit tardy surrendering his seat because he thinks all men travellers will agree that they receive more return courtesy from the Chinese and Japanese lady travellers who cannot in many cases speak English, than they do from any other nationality. However, he finds the explanation for all this apparent discourtesy "on the part of our sisters" in the trend towards "rush" in modern life. Some men, of course, are less charitable and angrily demand why women should expect to enjoy the privileges their sex has hitherto enjoyed them when they now seek equal rights with men in, even in his exclusive fields, like law, parliament, and engineering. But that, of course, is a the attitude adopted by the boor. Still, it's a little point whether a tired, overworked business man returning late from office should stand the whole journey home simply because some young woman who has been pottering idly about town arrives when the tram is crowded. Peak men are usually spared these knotty problems (if they are sitting away from the tram door especially) because the choice before them is sit tight or get out, and if they followed the latter course they might be hours getting home. Truly, it's a hard world.

The canny Scots, they STRANGE have their Burns anniversary dinner without fail every year, but do you ever hear of the Englishmen having a Shakespeare anniversary dinner. You don't, why?

When the present House of Commons first assembled, Labour openly avowed its intention of "making things lively." That it has lost little time in putting this intention into effect the following from a Home paper's parliamentary report gives ample proof.

Mr. J. Jones (Lab.—Silverton), who was standing in the gangway at the left side of the Speaker's chair, interjected "You are dirty dogs."

The Speaker: I cannot allow observations of that kind. (Rises of "Turn him out.")

Mr. Jones: Put me out if you like. I don't care a damn.

The Speaker: I must ask the hon. member to withdraw from the House. (Government cheers and cries of "Withdraw.")

Mr. Jones: I will withdraw. I am glad to do so. You are a dirty lot of dogs—slobbering over dead soldiers and starving the living—that is all you do.

The hon. member then withdrew from the House.

Mr. Jack Jones later apologised for his behaviour. He is not by any means the first to use the "big D" in the House of Commons, a contemporary recalling that Cobden once day seated himself in Sir Robert Peel's seat or the Treasury Bench and declined to budge an inch in spite of Sir Robert's evident desire to take his accustomed place. Finally Peel politely but firmly requested Cobden to move but all the answer that he got was "I'll be damned if I do." and Peel had to take his place elsewhere.

These little outbursts are mild, however, to some of those heard "Turn Undr." Not long ago Mr. H. H. Leeked in the House on a Parliamentary call on a hon. member a list, prefixing "which has given me a great deal of trouble."

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it's wars. List! The other day, the Government Gazette stated that an application had been received from the Tramway Company for permission to extend the line round the Valley. This, when the proposed extension had already been nearly completed! Doubtless the tramway extension will prove a boon. Doubtless, also, permission was a mere formality. But surely the public might have been treated less contemptuously. Most Home municipalities, before undertaking or sanctioning public works like this usually advertise their intention beforehand in order that people with reasonable objections may have them heard. But that is a courtesy Hongkong would never allow to blot its fair name. The very idea!

Proverbs are always being disproved. You may, as the modern wag, has paraphrased the old saw, Induce the equine quadruped to vici-age aquatic but not always will you find Inauguration, as 'his said Must still be automatic.

You may take a drunk to Dryland but you can't prevent him drinking. Leeds police court had before it last month a man charged with having tried to desert his wife and children. The evidence showed that he was a heavy drinker. With the hope of curing him his wife had persuaded him to emigrate to America. Once there he soon found an abundant supply of booze and was unable to resist the temptation. America may be dry—superficially; but (as another proverb says) "still" waters run deep.

Every bullet may have its billet in some lands but not in China. This week I saw several full clips brought down from Shipping where hundreds are said to have been thrown away unused. It was significant to observe that the bullets, even among these few clips, were almost all different makes. It was still more significant to observe that some of them were dum-dums.

Before he left the Colony for the REPORTER'S Honolulu delights he writes about in the China Mail every Wednesday, Mr. Tom Wright, who proved himself during his stay here ever ready to defend the newspaper's rights, made a strong appeal for better professional recognition for the local reporter. "Just what that hapless unfortunate has to contend with sometimes you can gather from the following episode which took place early this week." Escaping from its cage and eluding the keeper, a circus cheetah badly mauled a small boy. The following day, hearing that the cheetah had broken loose and injured a European youngster, a China Mail reporter telephoned the water police station for the facts, since serious consequences might easily follow an inaccurate report. The sergeant who answered the inquiry was not able to supply any information—he had been on night duty and knew nothing about the matter. However, while he was still speaking, an inspector arrived. Answering the reporter's queries over the telephone himself, the Inspector confirmed the report that a cheetah had broken loose, but laughed at the suggestion of a child having been injured. Accepting the Inspector's statement—and whose should he accept more confidently?—the reporter naturally considered the story about the child the usual Hongkong rumour and wrote his account without it. Now, of course, it is not suggested that the Inspector deliberately suppressed the details relating to the child. It is not even suggested that he knew then that the child had been injured (though presumably a constable was on duty when the accident occurred, and even the most blase Yaumati crime sleuth must have been sufficiently impressed to mention it in his report). But what is reported, and resented strongly, is the Inspector's definite statement that no child had been hurt. If he didn't know, he should have replied to that effect and the reporter could then have prosecuted his enquiries further elsewhere.

The leader writers and Burns Night speakers SCOTIA'S have already paid their GREATEST homage to the great BARD. Scottish poet whose birthday anniversary was celebrated in every part of the world this week. Seemingly, they have left it for me to quote from one of the finest tributes one genius has ever paid another—Wordsworth's poem "At the Grave of Burns."

Written during a visit to Scotland when the last Breton's place was still unmarked by any stone. "Unfortunately, however, space forbids me to reprint, here more than three of the fourteen verses."

I shiver, spirit fierce and cold. At thought of what I now behold: As vapours breathed from dungeon cold

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## SEEING HONGKONG

LOCAL GUIDE FOR THE  
NEWCOMER.

From the formidable list of "books consulted"—even H. G. Wells' famous "Outline" is included—one might have expected to find "The Newcomer's Guide: What to see in Hongkong," which has just been published by the author, Mrs. H. M. Evans, a very solid and profound production indeed. Instead, from the dedication to the author's last page acknowledgments, one finds a racy, sitting account of the Colony's attractions which might have been compiled from chatty letters home. Indeed, the author's remarks sometimes savour of tea-table gossip, especially when she is discussing the merits of local stores. But if she is sometimes indiscreet and sometimes unfair, she is mostly interesting and amusing enough (though more than once this has clearly been quite unintentional).

The author has her own opinions and does not hesitate to express them. The Peak tram, "which stands on its tail and waves its feet in the mist," has a gradient in places of 1 in 2, but "one no longer sees a row of pigtails sticking out at an angle of 45 deg. behind," for (we are told) "there are no pigtails in Hongkong to-day." Sampans are "very pleasant and leisurely craft for those who enjoy pottering about on the water."

Hongkong is a maddening place to get about in; it is so scattered and there are so very few direct routes. Needless: "It is so beautiful that one doesn't really mind." Indeed (as a later passage puts it) whether it be day or night or twilight, sunshine or storm, Hongkong is always beautiful, always changing—a never-ending wonder and delight.

The museum, naturally, is weighed in the balance and (inevitably) found wanting. "It is" rather a disappointment, though it is well provided with much interesting and valuable matter. After surveying this matter, the author's final verdict is that the museum is a delightful place for an intelligent child, but the visitor who hopes to find information about the geology, the flora and fauna, the manufactures and industries of the Island, comes away not much wiser.

The University gets its word of hope: "Don't forget, however, that a ten-year old University is as weak and as vulnerable as a new-born baby. Its possibilities are boundless, but its present limitations are great."

The author's chief impression of Kowloon City seems to consist of the one word "pigs," for "everywhere there are black pigs—and such pigs! Some look like miniature hippopotami, all have sagging backs and most of them have such short legs that their tummies can't clear the ground."

Most the Indian constables seen in the city appear to have been "home-some," but black, although they are very good looking and doubtless excellent at preventing crime "they cannot tell the stranger the way to anywhere."

The great snobbery question is settled in one swift decisive paragraph—"They say the Peakites are snobbish but that's all r.t. Some of the nicest people on the Island live up the Peak. I think it comes from the fact that one generally meets a Peakite in a chair. Leaning back in a chair elevates the riders' nose like a camel's; and you know how suspicious a camel looks."

The less said about the remarks the author prints concerning Macao the better. She has been very unkind. Neither is it wise to give much heed to her remarks about the people who inhabit Hongkong, for here she is not merely unkind but openly offensive. That is permitting her to escape very lightly. However she atones some what in the following passage, which many might well take to heart.

"It is worth while remembering that the Chinese are reputed to be the politest people in the world, and that we should treat all Celestials with unfailing courtesy." The man who storms at the servants, bawls at the telephone operator or is rude to a Chinese is not shouldering his fair share of the white man's burden."

Incidentally, the author's statements about the Colony's newspapers reveal several errors. The China Mail first published in 1845, is the oldest existing local newspaper. The Daily Press appeared in 1857, as the Colony's first daily paper. Shortly afterwards the China Mail also produced its first issue, a week, having then been in existence as a regular newspaper for twenty years.

Remarkable the "wonderful work" of the Public Works Department, the author observes.

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However: "It is a different matter when the rumblers make a fuss at Home, and the English Press publish regrettable inaccuracies, till a much over-worked Parliament is bothered with unnecessary questions about our domestic affairs."

But: "Mark! If ngkong has so glorious a future before her that these cracks cannot do much permanent harm." These few extracts do not, of course, reflect the whole contents of the book, which touches upon almost every aspect of the Colony's life and interests. For one dollar the guide is a remarkable value—in more ways than one.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Entries for the annual River close to day at 3 p.m.

The Government is a big tender for the supply of coal.

The military rate of the dollar for February is fixed in Command Orders at 2s. 3d.

Mrs. Claud Severn will present prizes to the Ellis Kadoorie scholars on February 9 at noon.

On February 1 the sun rises at 7.03 and sets at 6.12. On February 28 it rises at 6.47 and sets at 6.26.

The master of the s.s. "Yunnan" reports that the river mark buoy is missing in the Hainan Strait.

Sir William Brunyate will distribute the prizes of Ying Wah College on Saturday, 10th February, at 7 p.m. at the Chinese Y.M.C.A.

Command Orders notify that the duties of Command Paymaster and Treasury Chest Officer are being carried on by Lieut. Col. R. A. Dobbin, R.A.F.C.

All the ships which arrived in port yesterday and this morning reported meeting with a strong monsoon, but managed to get through it without mishap.

Police Sergeant L. P. Lane has been appointed an examiner of weights and measures and an inspector under the Gunpowder, Fireworks, and Dangerous Goods Ordinances.

The Crooked Mirror containing four pages of cartoons by M. Stepanoff whose work has already been seen in some of the local newspapers made its first appearance to-day. It is to be issued weekly.

The name of the Far Eastern Dollar Directory Co., Ltd., has been struck off the register. (This company must not be confused with the Hongkong Dollar Directory Co., Ltd., which is shortly issuing the 1923 directory).

The regulations made by the Governor in Council under section 3 of the Licensing Ordinance, 1837, of August 2, 1917, have been rescinded, thus removing the conditions concerning silver dollars from money changers' licences.

To-day's Government Gazette publishes particulars of a Home Act to amend the British Nationality and Status of Aliens Act 1914 and 1918, as respects the acquisition of British nationality by persons born out of British Dominions.

The Chit Wo S.S. Co.'s, steamer "Leungkwong" on the regular run between here and Kongmoo went aground on a bank on Tuesday while on her last trip up the river, and was stranded for nearly 24 hours before she was released with the help of a small Chinese gunboat which was sent out to her rescue by the Customs Commissioner.

Yesterday the annual distribution of prizes to scholars of the Gap Road Anglo-Chinese School took place. Mr. R. Ralphs, Inspector of Schools, distributed the awards and congratulated the Headmaster, Mr. Lo Yuk-In, on the efficiency of the school. Mr. B. Wylie and Mr. U. Ramjahn, members of the Board of Education, also spoke regarding the work of the school and complimented the Headmaster on the results attained.

A daring robbery took place yesterday at 1 p.m. in the heart of the city. The first floor of No. 62 Des Voeux Road Central, quite close to the Fire Station, was entered by five robbers armed with revolvers, a Chinese lady being the sole occupant at the time. She was bound and gagged as was also a houseboy who remained during the robbery. Property to the total value of \$723 with \$325 in cash were stolen and on Friday from her husband in Singapore. This leads to the suspicion that some person who was aware of this had given the information to the robbers.



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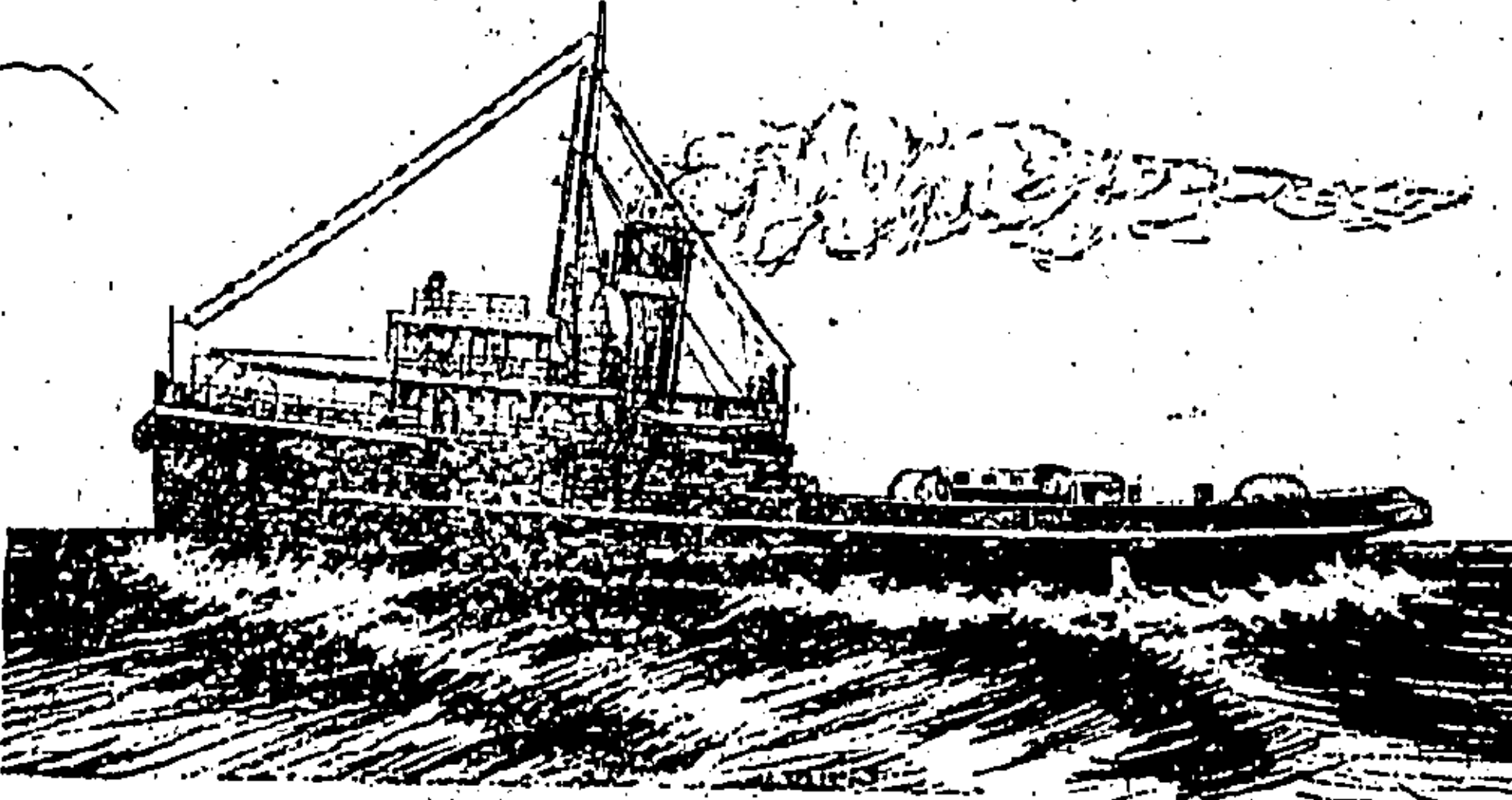
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## EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

## JAPANESE NAVY.

Tokyo, January 25th.  
In the Diet an interpellation was addressed to the Government by the former Cabinet Minister Wakatsuki. The Premier answered saying that the anxiety respecting possible rivalry between America and Japan in auxiliary warships appears uncalculated for, as both Powers are respecting the spirit of the Washington agreement. Ten thousand tonnage for cruisers was adopted by the Washington Conference, because the experts there agreed that the War's lessons showed that smaller craft were not of value. The replacement of warships was a matter for future consideration.

## DEATH OF DR. PAUL REINSCH.

Shanghai, January 26th.  
Dr. Paul Reinsch, formerly American Minister to China, and more recently an Adviser to the Chinese Government died at Shanghai this morning.

## MOVEMENT OF STEAMERS.

The Dodwell Castle Line s.s. "Kental Castle" which sailed from Hongkong for New York and Boston via ports on Nov. 23 reached Boston on Jan. 22.  
The B. F. s.s. "Pelagos" from Liverpool left Singapore on Jan. 22 for this port and is due here on Jan. 29. The R. & A. s.s. "St. Albans" left Moji for this port on Jan. 21 at p.m. and is due here on Jan. 29 at about daylight.The B. F. s.s. "Rhesus" from Liverpool left Singapore on Jan. 23 for this port and is due here on Jan. 29. The D. I. s.s. "Torilla" left Singapore for this port on Jan. 24 at p.m. and is due here on Jan. 30 at about p.m.  
The N.Y.K. s.s. "Takaka Maru" (Bombay Line) from Bombay for Hongkong via Singapore on Jan. 13 and is expected here on Jan. 31.  
The N.Y.K. s.s. "Nakano Maru" (European Line) left Singapore for Hongkong on Jan. 25 and is expected here on Jan. 31.The B. F. s.s. "Helena" left Liverpool on Dec. 31 for Straits, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is due here on Feb. 2.  
The B. F. s.s. "Tlemashus" left New York on Dec. 5 for Straits, Singapore, Manila, Iloilo and Hongkong and is expected to arrive here on or about Feb. 4.  
The B. F. s.s. "Aniolytus" left Liverpool on Jan. 6 for Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is due here on or about February 6.The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of Australia" left Vancouver for Hongkong, Japan ports, Shanghai and Manila on Jan. 18 and is due here on Feb. 8.  
The P. M. s.s. "President Cleveland" sails for San Francisco via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu on Jan. 13 and arrives at San Francisco on Feb. 12.The B. L. s.s. "City of Simla" left Swatow on Jan. 19 and is due to arrive at Hongkong on Feb. 13.  
The Dodwell Castle Line s.s. "Bolton Castle" which left New York on Dec. 18 left Honolulu on Jan. 19 via Manila and is expected here on Feb. 13.The B. F. s.s. "Agamemnon" left Liverpool on Jan. 12 for Penang, Port Swettenham, Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is due here on or about Feb. 21.  
The P. M. s.s. "President Pierce" leaves Hongkong for San Francisco via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu on Jan. 31 and arrives at San Francisco on Feb. 21.

The B. F. s.s. "Enrybatas" left Liverpool on Jan. 20 for Penang, Port Swettenham, Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Yokohama and is due here on or about Feb. 21.

The B. F. s.s. "President Wilson" sailed from San Francisco on Jan. 11 with a full complement of passengers and cargo. She is due here again on Feb. 4 and sails for Manila on Feb. 5 arriving at that port on Feb. 7. She leaves Hongkong for San Francisco via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu on Feb. 14, and arrives San Francisco on Mar. 5.

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"SICILIA"	6,700	21st Feb.	Singapore, Penang, Colbo & B'bay.
"BANCA"	6,000	6th Mar.	Singapore, Penang, Colbo & B'bay.
"LAHORE"	6,700	13th Mar.	Singapore, Penang, Colbo & B'bay.
"SOUFAN"	6,700	13th Mar.	Singapore, Penang, Colbo & B'bay.
"KASHMIR"	6,000	21st Mar.	MARSEILLES, LONDON & A'worp.
"L'PORE"	6,573	22nd Mar.	Singapore, Penang, Colbo & B'bay.
"DONGOLA"	6,000	4th Apr.	MARSEILLES, LONDON & A'worp.
"SICILIA"	6,000	14th Apr.	Singapore, Penang, Colbo & B'bay.
"NANKIN"	6,000	14th Apr.	MARSEILLES, LONDON & A'worp.
"KASHMIR"	6,000	2nd May	do.
"KASHMIR"	6,000	10th May	do.
"NYANZA"	6,000	10th May	do.
"NOVARA"	6,573	17th June	do.
"DELTA"	6,000	27th June	do.
"MALWA"	10,000	11th July	do.
"DEVANHA"	6,000	25th July	do.

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### EUROPEAN SITUATION.

Berlin, January 25th.

The German Government is firmly resolved to resort to every available means in order to frustrate the French policy of violence, declared the Minister of Finance (Herr Hoesner) in a speech delivered in the Reichstag. The Minister said it would be an unparalleled disgrace if the Germans allowed themselves to be forced by military orders to help the French, by tyrannical, to extort payments or deliveries in kind from the occupied area. The reparations and Rhineland commissions had become mere tools of France. Introducing the Budget for 1923, Herr Hoesner stated there was a deficit of between fourteen and sixteen hundred milliard marks.

### AMERICAN POLIICS.

Washington, January 25th.

President Harding returned to his desk for the first time since his attack of influenza. He declared that he was only fit enough to not feel like working. Mr. Hughes informed the Senate Foreign Relations Committee that he has instructed Mr. Boyden not to express any opinion in regard to a reparations settlement, and to refrain from urging the consideration of his own suggestions in the absence of instructions from the State Department.

Mr. Hughes emphasised that the State Department in nowise approved of Mr. Boyden's recent memorandum to the Reparations Commission.

After Mr. Hughes had submitted the Boyden documents to the committee, Senator Borah announced that he would move a resolution, probably on Monday, requesting President Harding to call a world economic conference.

### REDUCED PASSENGER RATES.

London, January 26th.

The Pacific Mail Line has announced a reduction of £30 in the first class passenger fare from England to the Orient.

London, January 26th.

The return to the Rhineland of the industrial magnates who were court-martialed, was marked by the most enthusiastic demonstrations at railway stations en route, including Cologne where 50,000 people assembled and awarded the metals.

The demonstrations at Essen were stupendous. A French officer who was being mishandled was rescued by the police.

At Dusseldorf, a large demonstration culminated in the intervention of the French, the infantry firing in the air and the cavalry using their swords.

Berlin, January 25th.

It is reported that the Government has notified the Allies that German officers and officials are henceforth forbidden to accompany inter-Allied military and other missions if they include Frenchmen or Belgians.

### PEKING CABINET.

Peking, January 26th.

A mandate issued last night appointed the members of the Cabinet to permanent rank, with the exception of Mr. Alfred Sze who left Peking for Tientsin yesterday. Mr. Sze has not yet recovered from an attack of influenza. He tendered his resignation when taken ill, and though this has not been accepted, he was verbally granted leave. It is expected that his resignation will be accepted simultaneously with the appointment of his successor.

There is much speculation regarding this appointment, but it is reliably stated that Wang Yung Pao, ex-Minister at Berlin, will be offered the post, but he desires a Parliamentary vote before taking up acting rank.

Liu En Yuan is taking up his post this afternoon and Wu Yu Lin tomorrow.

[BY COURTESY OF THE "DAILY BULLETIN"]

### SUN YAT SEN'S MANIFESTO.

Shanghai, January 25th.

Sun Yat Sen has issued a manifesto declaring, now that the Constitutionalists have driven Chen Chiung Ming from Canton, a considerable barrier to reunification has been removed, and constructive work made more practicable.

Sun Yat Sen declares that he will do his utmost to hasten reunification by peaceful means, and reinstitute the rule of law.

Sun Yat Sen points out that the four groups, Chihli, Fengtien, Anhui and the South-West Provinces, which are now the main ruling forces in China, should co-operate in upholding the law.

Sun Yat Sen declares that China's superfluous troops are like a grave disease in the body politic, and he emphasises the necessity for the disbandment of the troops before attempting reunification.

Sun Yat Sen submits a definite proposal for reunification, namely, the reduction of the troops by one-half, which would then be convertible into labour corps for the construction of roads, etc., and he also suggests that an invitation be extended to a foreign Power (1) to assist China to devise means for the disbandment of the troops, including the raising of a disbandment loan.

### SALT CABLES.

Peking, January 24th.

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HAIPHONG via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	FOOK-ANG	Thurs., 1st Feb., 10 a.m.
STRAITS AND CALCUTTA	PAISANO	Fri., 2nd Feb., 10 a.m.
HAIPHONG via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	LOUN-ANG	Fri., 2nd Feb., 10 a.m.
MANILA	TAK-SANG	Sun., 4th Feb., 10 a.m.
SHANGHAI via SWATOW	OH-SANG	Sun., 4th Feb., 10 a.m.
PANAMA via SWATOW	HIS-SANG	Tues., 6th Feb., 10 a.m.
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**LIVERPOOL via VALENCIA, MARSEILLES.**  
DELAGOA MARU ... .. Thursday, 8th Feb.

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SADO MARU ... .. Sunday, 24th Jan.

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TANGO MARU ... .. Thursday, 15th February.

**SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.**  
LIMA MARU ... .. Saturday, 27th Jan.  
HAKONE MARU ... .. Wednesday, 31st January.  
SUWA MARU ... .. Wednesday, 14th Feb.

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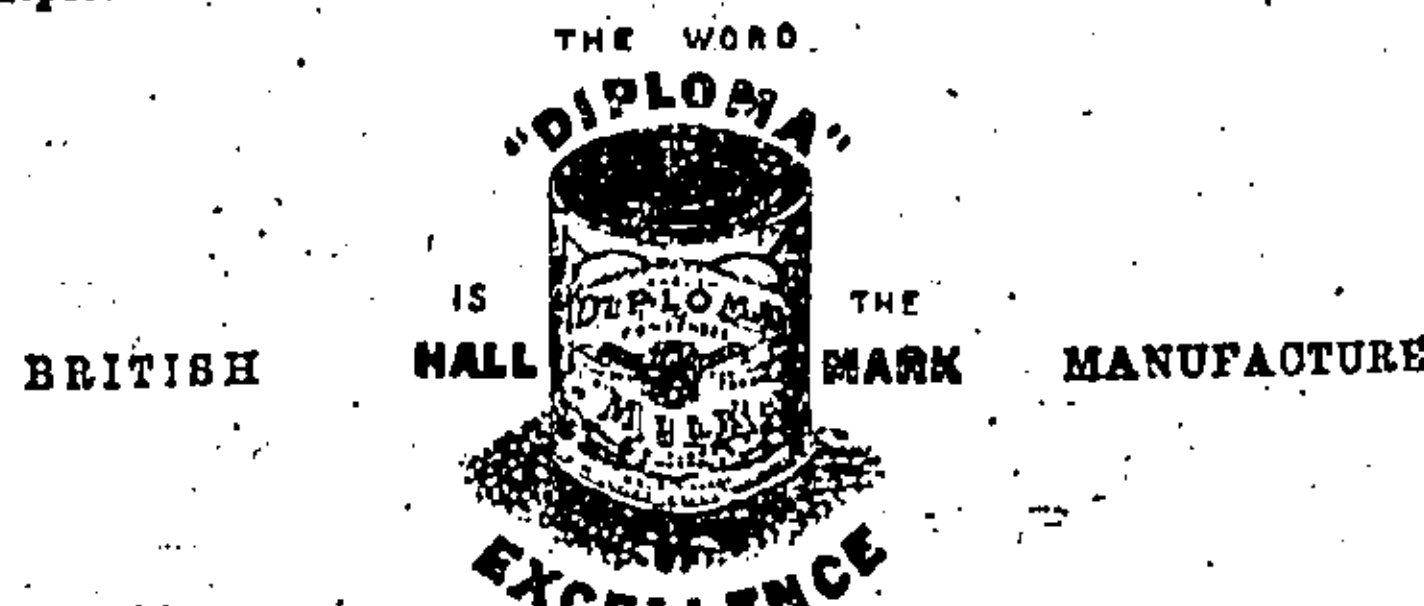
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## CHURCH NOTES.

## SEPTUAGESIMA SUNDAY OR THE THIRD SUNDAY BEFORE LENT.

For the full circle of the year and the three Sundays before Lent the Church tells us to begin thinking of our preparation for the "great forty days": the Epistle speaks of Christian asceticism, and the Collect acknowledges our guilt and prays God to deliver us from deserved punishment.

There are two distinct types of men: those like St. John and those like St. Paul. The former, his life hidden with Christ in God, has his eyes so constantly fixed on the heavenly Jerusalem that he hardly notices the difficulties of the road by which he travels upwards, the latter always conscious of his powerlessness to realize his ideal, acutely conscious of the struggle between his higher and lower nature but bravely pressing onwards. Of such men St. Paul speaks, with all the vividness of personal experience, telling us, for most of us conform to this type, how he himself has fought, endured and at last overcome. He bids us have the zeal of an athlete subjecting every impulse to this test—"will it assist us to win the prize?"—he urges us to be encouraged by the thought of ultimate victory; not to waste our energies in unnecessary movements but to use our strength in actions calculated to carry us nearer our goal.

We all know the rigorous training necessary for those who take part in the Boat Race, so we are not surprised that the heavenly Race will need a like discipline. "I keep under my body and bring it into subjection," says St. Paul, not crushing it but making it the willing, disciplined servant of the spirit—if necessary denying it things lawful in themselves if they are a hindrance to spiritual progress, remembering that Christ Himself said, "If thy hand offend thee, cut it off."

What a day of surprises, will be the Last Judgment, when the first shall be last and the last first!

At first sight the question of the unsatisfied labourers in to-morrow's Gospel story of the vineyard, is a rather puzzling one, it does not seem quite fair that those who had worked all day long should receive the same payment as those who had worked only one hour. But the kingdom of God is not subject to rules of arithmetic; it is a kingdom of grace, those that work in it are servants of love and love is its own reward. There is only one thing needful whether God calls us early or late to be His fellow workers, just this "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved." The initial sacrifice of those called at the first hour, is prompted by love but they are warned against spiritual pride in thus being called, which will destroy love if unchecked and cause exclusiveness and jealousy so that they question the justice of God.

It was not the fault of the last called that they stood idle, no one had hired them, but as soon as they were summoned they responded. First God called the Jewish nation, and then the Gentiles and to both He gives the same gift, Himself, (not a payment, for His grace alone inspires our work) but Himself, the workers' necessary food "our daily bread" the Bread of Life.

It is a comforting thought that we shall not be judged according to men's standards. God will judge us not so much by what we have done as by what we wanted to do, not by what we are but by what we long to be. He will not even judge us by our own standards for He is full of compassion and though to ourselves we often seem failures He will give unto the last even as unto the first.

Next Friday is the Purification of the Virgin Mary, when we think of her bringing her Child to the Temple and giving two turtle doves as a thankoffering. This feast is also called Candlemas because in some Churches many candles and tapers are lit, reminding us of Simeon's words that Jesus is "a Light to lighten the Gentiles." In olden days a great procession took place on this feast of which St. Bernard gives a description revealing the symbolic meaning: "We go in procession two by two, carrying candles in our hands,

which are lighted, not as a common fire but a fire first blessed in the Church by a Bishop. They that go out first return last, in the way we sing, "Great is the glory of the Lord." We go two by two in commendation of charity and a social life, for so our Saviour sent out His disciples. We carry light in our hands; first to signify that our light should shine before men, secondly this we do especially on this day in memory of the Wise Virgins (of whom this Blessed Virgin is the chief) that went to meet their Lord with their lamps lit and burning. And from this usage the many lights set up in the church this day it is called Candlemas or Candlemas. Because our works should be all done in the holy fire of charity, therefore the candles are lit with holy fire. They that go out first return last to teach, humility "in humility preferring one another." Because God loveth a cheerful giver therefore we sing in the way. The procession itself is to teach us that we should not stand idle in the way of life but proceed from virtue to virtue, not looking back to that which is behind, but reaching forward to that which is before." On this day Mary gives her Son back to God, He is offered in obedience to the Jewish custom, ready to be the oblation for our sins. In wonderment Mary listens to the prophecies of the aged Simeon and Anna, we are clearly told that she does not understand but she is content to wait the revelations of God. Good calmly listens while her own sufferings are foretold. "Yes, a sword shall pierce through thine own soul also that the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed."

"Is Mary that rose then? Mary the tree? But the Blossom, the Blossom there, who can it be? Who can her rose be? It could be but One; Christ Jesus, our Lord—her God and her Son. In the gardens of God, in the daylight divine Show me Thy Son, Mother, Mother of mine. What was the colour of that Blossom bright? White to begin with, immaculate white. But what a wild flush on the flakes of it stood, When the Rose ran in crimsoning down the Greenwood. In the gardens of God, in the daylight divine I shall worship the Wounds with thee, Mother of mine."

In a church in Pompeii a gigantic candle has been erected which is to be lit for twenty four hours every All Souls' Day. It has been given in memory of Caruso, the upper half has a design of flowers round a Cross and on the lower half there is a large representation of the Crucified Saviour. Its great height may be imagined when we learn that it will last for eighteen centuries.

## SIAM'S WAR MEMORIAL.

The Memorial to the British subjects from Siam, who fell in the Great War, was unveiled on the new British Legation site, Ploen Chitr Road, recently, by the British Minister in the presence of a large gathering.

The Memorial is entirely constructed of Aberdeen grey granite. The general lines are simple and dignified and of pleasing proportions. The rectangular base plinth rests upon a flight of shallow steps. This plinth carries four bronze tablets bearing the names of the fallen, inscribed in simple and legible Roman lettering. From this plinth rises the main shaft which terminates in an ornamental pedestal of sarcophagus form, relieved with bronze laurel wreaths. This pedestal in turn supports a bronze altar, symbolic of sacrifice and of ultimate triumph.

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A Vancouver farming journal which has just arrived says that Mr. Gibson's farm "Stammore" is one of the best known on Salt Spring Island. It comprises 2,200 acres and though the feature is, and has been for some years, the pure-bred Jersey herd of 21 head, it affords a convincing demonstration of an up-to-date mixed farm. His foundation cow "Mayside Matron" has a wonderful record; probably unequalled in the Province. Mr. Gibson says he would not part with her for any of her six heifer calves for "any money." One of her daughters has a record of 11,500 pounds of milk and 565 of fat and her second daughter gave 7,000 pounds of milk on her first test and 11,344 pounds on her second. Three years ago at the Gauges Harbour show at Salt Spring Island Mr. Gibson won 21 prizes and a Challenge Cup for the best horses, cattle and sheep. He is President of the Salt Spring Jersey Club and is, the Vancouver paper states, "in every way a leading resident of the Island upon which he has established his home and achieved repute, particularly as a Jersey breeder."

## CHURCH NOTICES.

A WEDDING OF ONE DOLLAR IS MADE FOR ALL NOTICES UNDER THIS HEADING.

## ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.

HONGKONG 28TH JANUARY, 1923  
SEPTUAGESIMA SUNDAY.  
Holy Communion at 8 a.m.  
Matins 11 a.m.

Responses: Psalm, Venite, McFarren (41); Psalm, 104 Old Melody. Prayers: T. Deum, Woodward Smart, Turle; Benedictus, Bennett (2nd evening); Anthem, "All ye that cry," Mendelssohn; Hymn, 83. Healing Service (12 noon). Evensong (6 p.m.).

Responses: Psalm, 147; Battisbill, 148; Battisbill; Magnificat, McFarren; Nunc Dimittis, Foster and Hymns, 2-8, 283, 27.

## Wesleyan Church, Queen's Road East.

Opposite Royal Naval Hospital, Wanchai.

Sunday, 28th January, 1923.

10.15 a.m. Divine Service and Naval and Garrison Church Parade.—Hymns and Chant, 387; Te Deum, 88, 4-7, 569; Subject—"Mustard seed and Mountains." 6.00 p.m. Divine Service.—Hymns, 387, 285, 407, 71, 818; Subject—"The Unsuspected Port of Needlet." 7.15 p.m. Sunday School, with illustrated blackboard address. Friday, 5.45 p.m. choir practice. Wesleyan Sailors' and Soldiers' Home, Arsenal Street, Sunday, 8.15 p.m. Chaplain's Meeting and Soci 1 hour. Wednesday, Feb. 7th, 8.15, Wesley Guild, Monthly Social and Musical Evening.

## Union Church, Kennedy Road.

Sunday, Service, January 28th. Morning Service, at 11 a.m. Evening Service at 8 p.m.

Preacher: Rev. J. Kirk. Maconachie. Tuesday, at 9 p.m. Literary Club. Lecture by Professor Simpson on "Rome: Famous Literary Friendships." Friday, Christian Endeavour Meeting and Social Hour 8.30.

## St. Peter's Church, West Point.

Sunday 28th January 1923.

8 a.m. Holy Communion. 11 a.m. Matins and Sermon.

## St. Andrew's Church, Nathan Road, Kowloon.

28th January, 1923.

4th Sunday after Epiphany. 8.15 a.m. Holy Communion. 11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon. 2.15 p.m. Bible Classes and Sunday School. 6 p.m. Evening Prayer, Sermon and Holy Communion.

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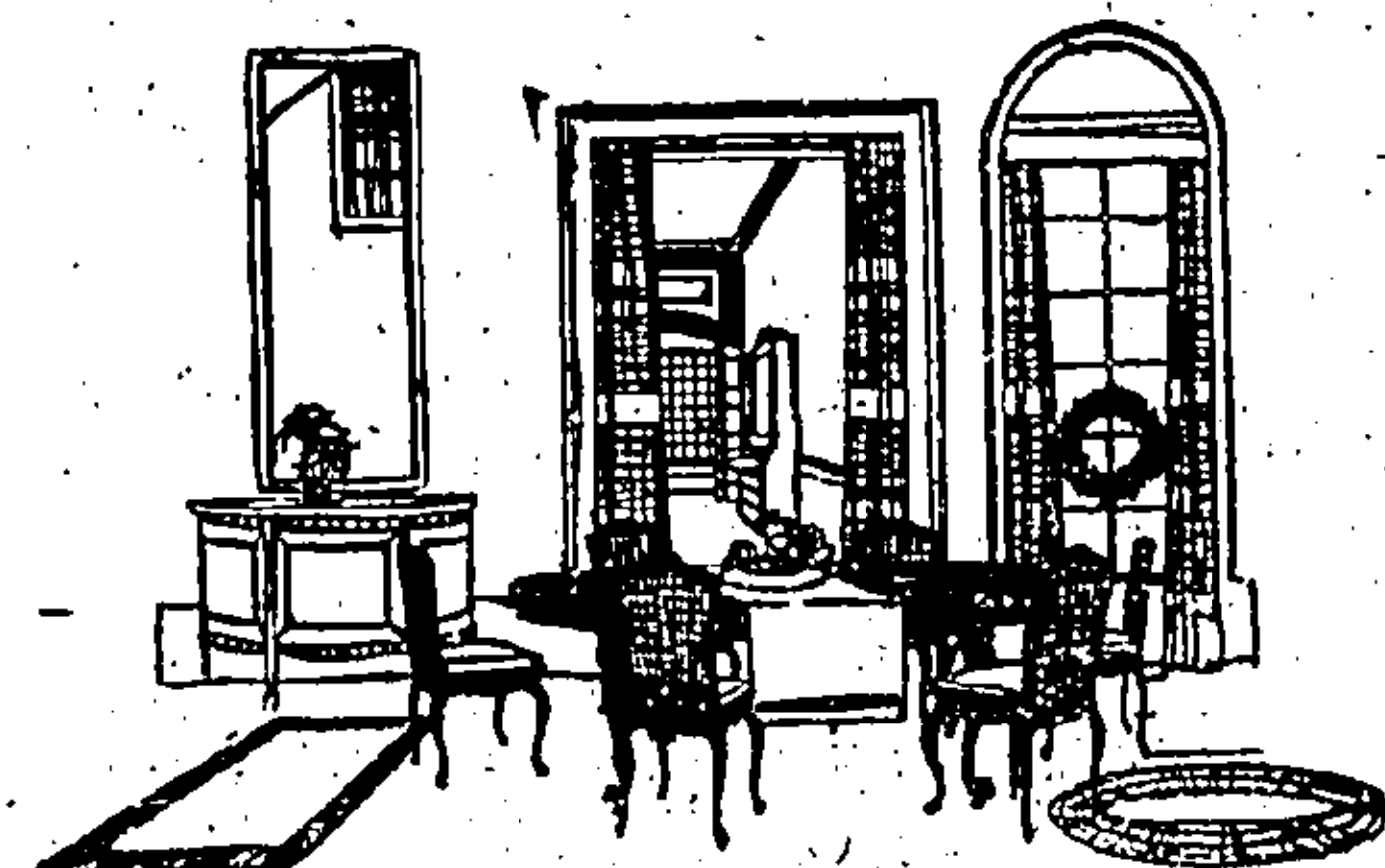
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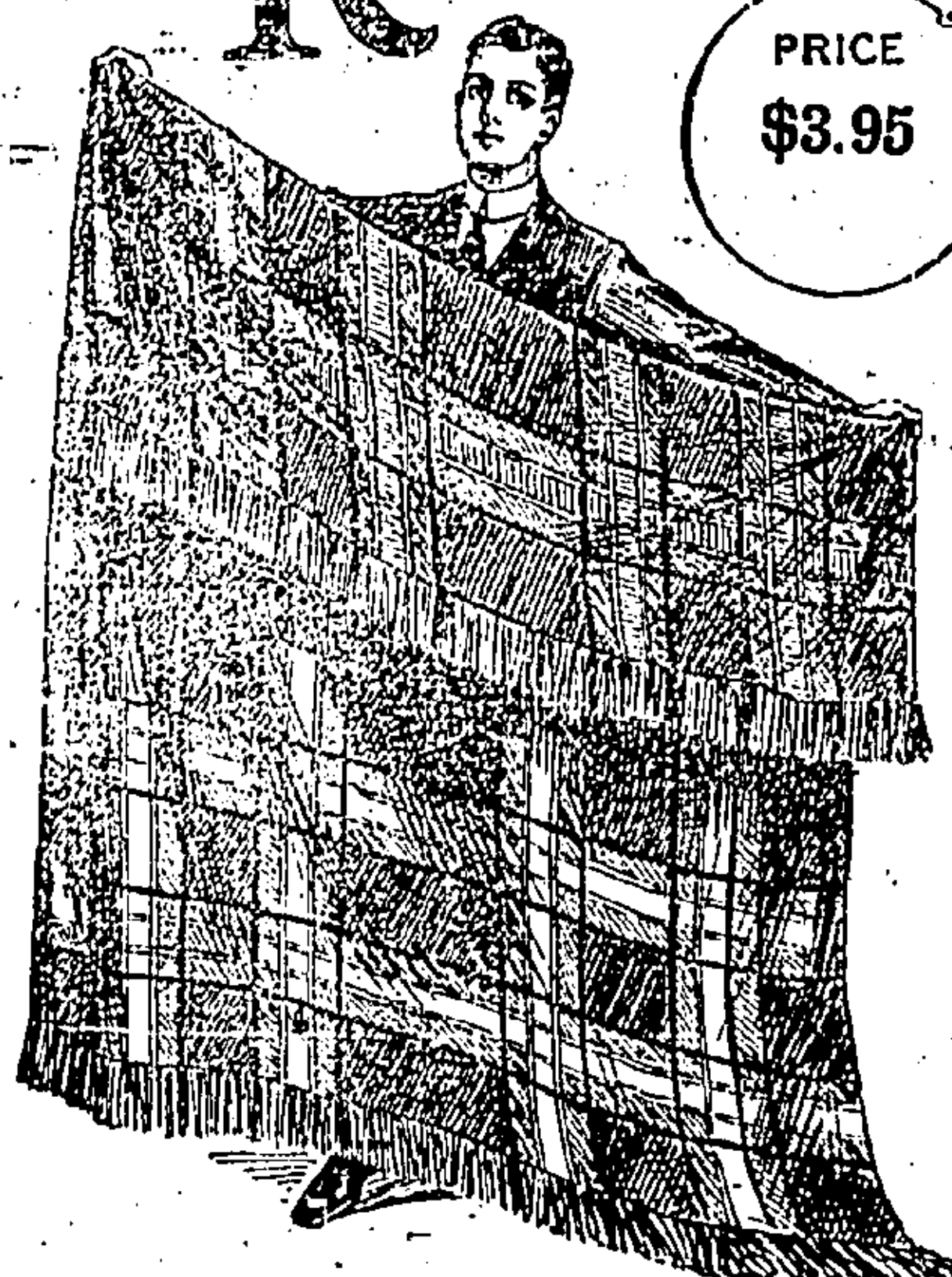


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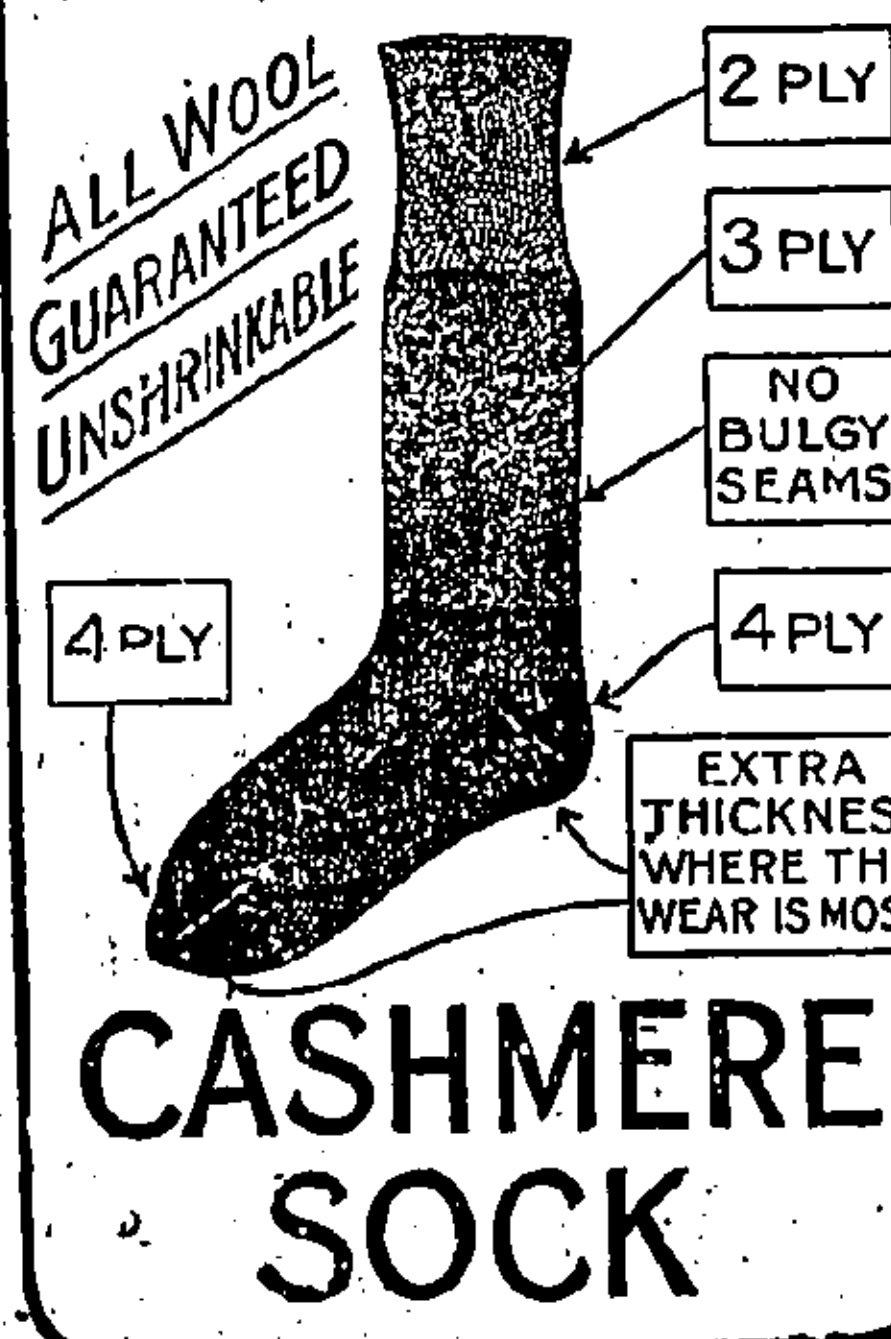
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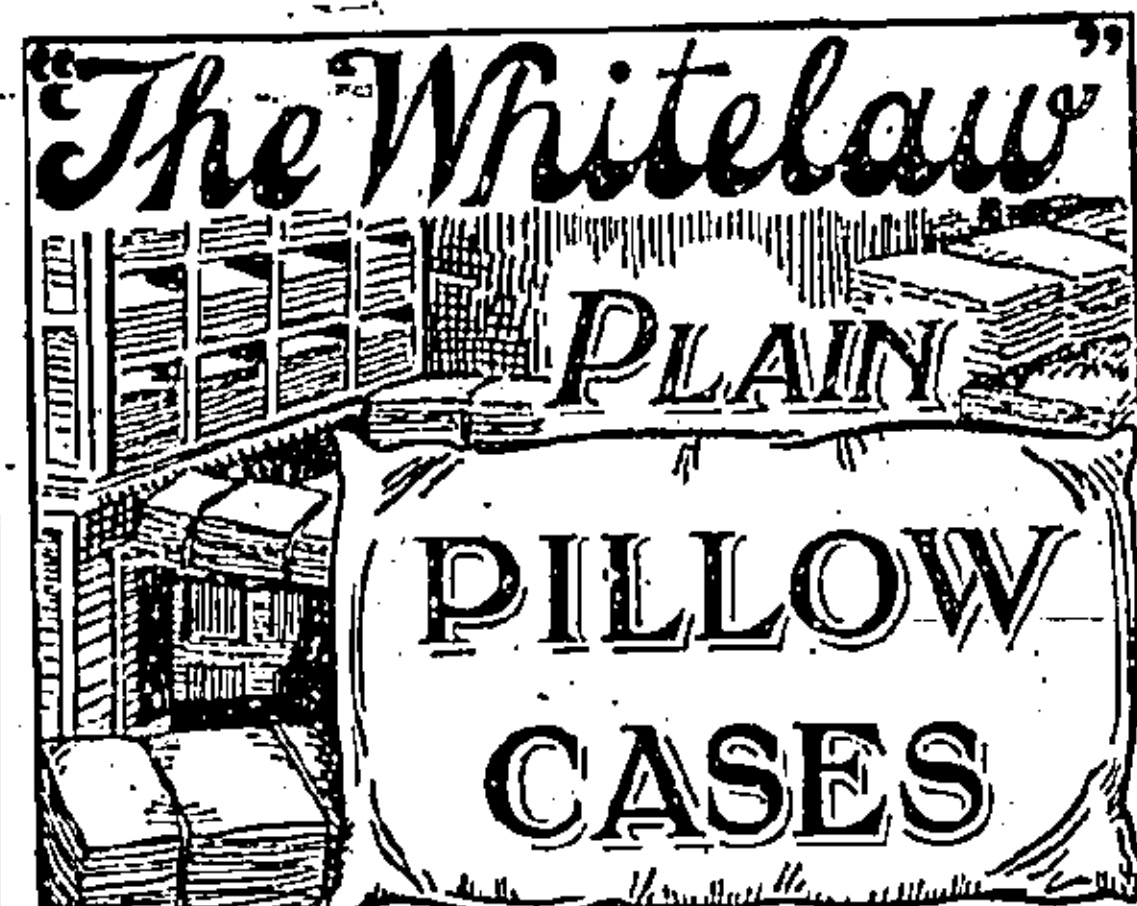
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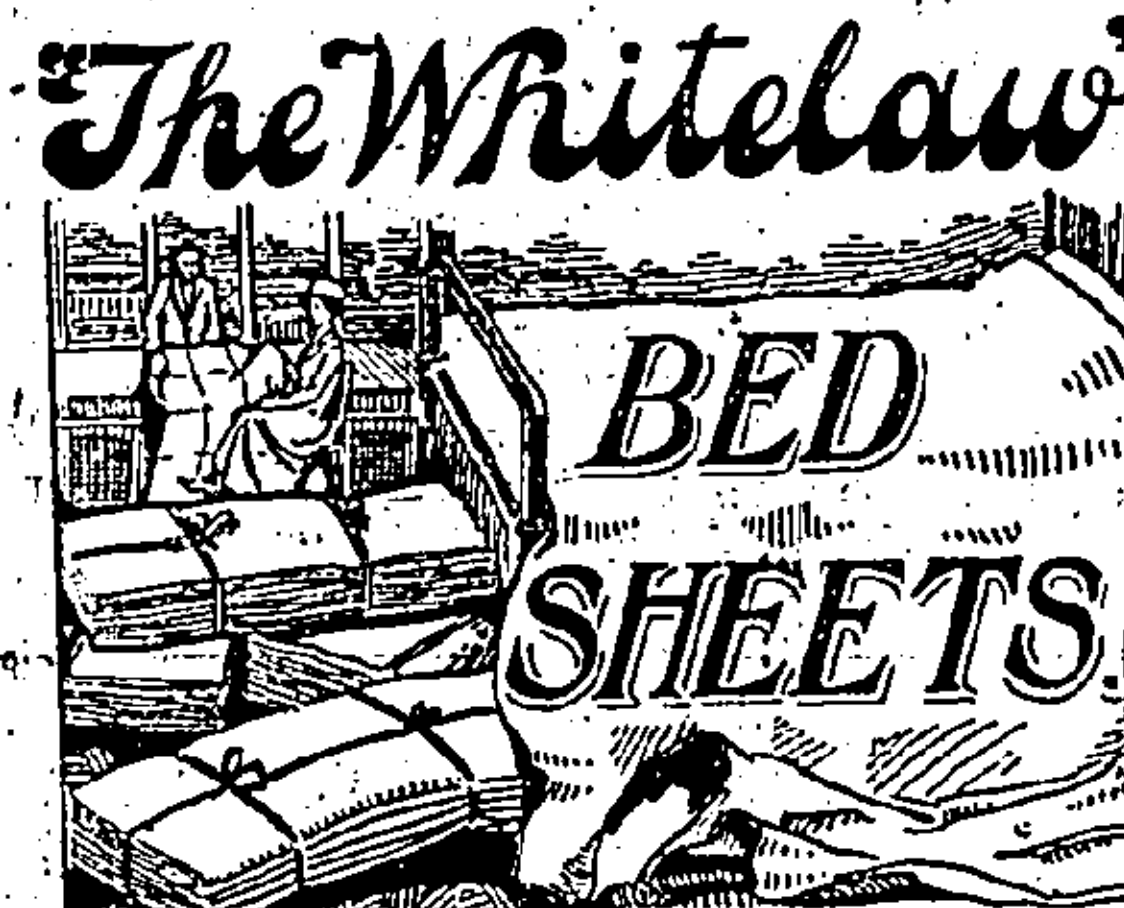
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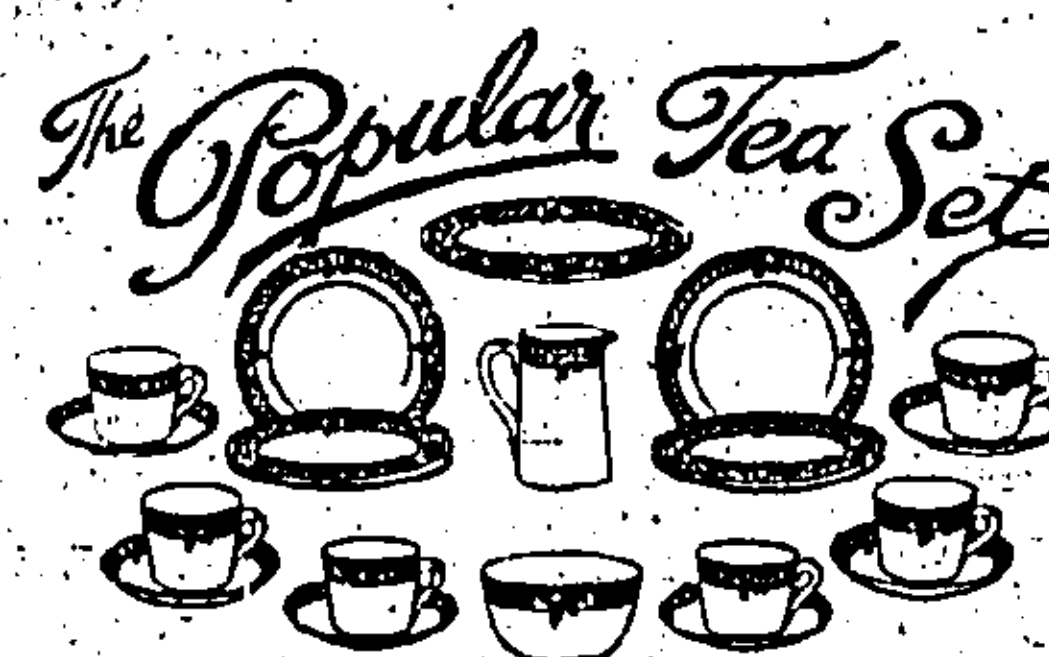
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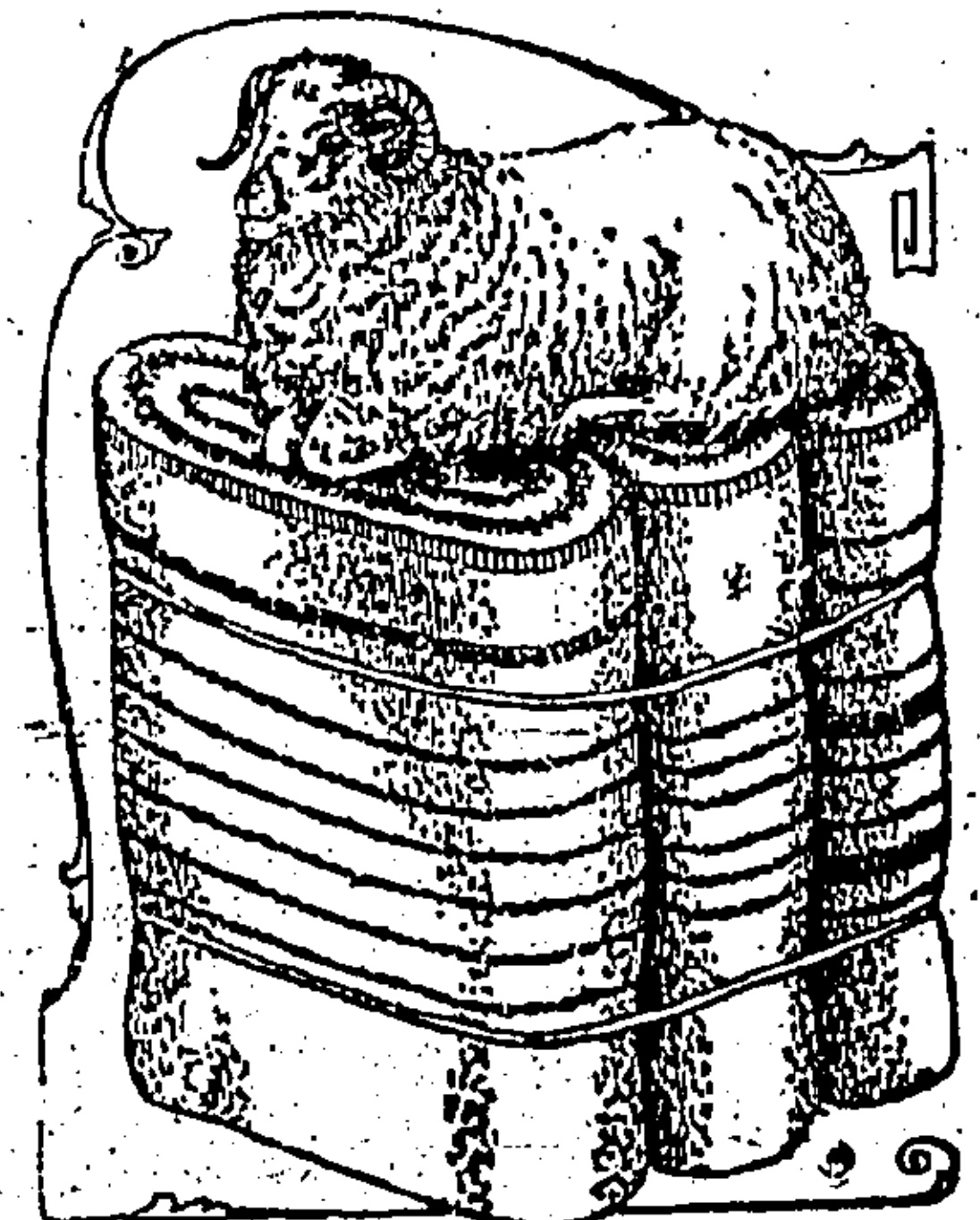
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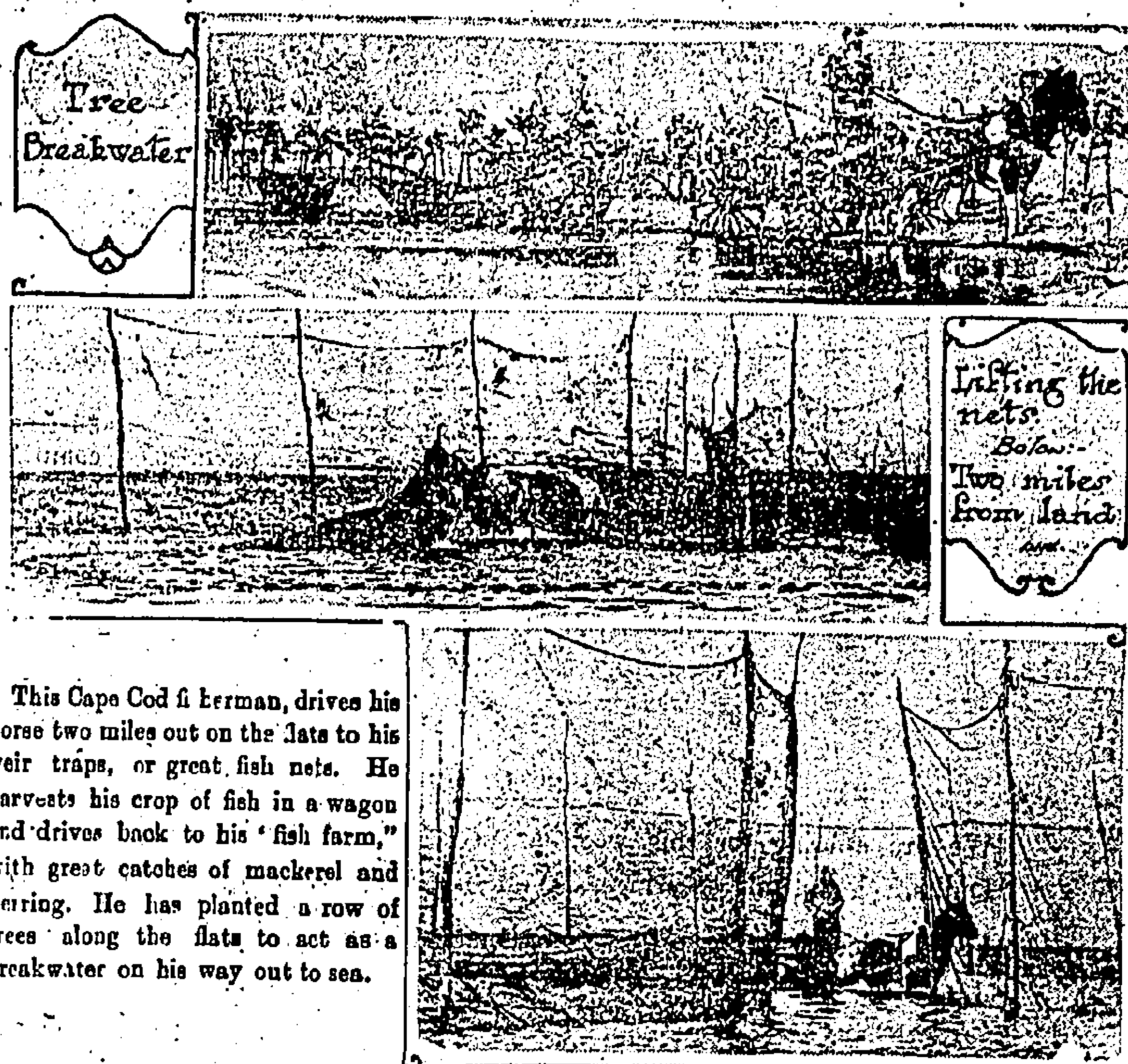
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